

# OWENS COMMUNITY COLLEGE ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE

Owens Community College– AAS in Registered Nursing  
Eastern Michigan University – BSN Nursing Completion

## EMU General Education Option

<b>Owens Community College Courses:</b>	<b>Transfer to Eastern Michigan University as:</b>
<b>EMU General Education Requirements (41 credits)</b>	
<b>I. Effective Communication</b>	
ENG 111 Composition I .....3	University Elective ..... 3
ENG 112 Composition II .....3	WRTG 121 Composition II: Researching the Publ Exp ..... 3
SPE 101 Public Speaking 3	CTAC 124 Fundamentals of Speech 3
<b>II. Quantitative Reasoning</b>	
MTH 213 Introductory Statistics .....3	MATH 170 Elementary Statistics .....3
<b>III. Perspectives on a Diverse World</b>	
Choose one course (cannot count for Area IV below).....3-4: ENG 215, 225, 251, 252; HIS 152, 270; MUS 105; SPA 100; ANT 200; GOV 207; GPH 106, 206; HIS 152, 270; PSY 270; SOC 220.	Gen Ed Perspectives on Diverse World(GEUS or GEGA)...3-4
<b>IV. Knowledge of the Disciplines</b>	
Complete two courses with different prefixes from each area below:	
<b>1. Arts:</b> ..... 6 ART 101, 105, 201; ENG 230; MUS 100, 101, 102, 103, 105; THE 100, 131, 261; PHO 202	General Education Knowledge of the Arts (GEKA) ..... 6
<b>2. Humanities:</b> ..... 6 PHL 102 Principles of Ethics (3) Choose one course from: ENG 200, 210, 215, 220, 225, 251, 252, 255, 260, 264, 265,266, 267; HIS 151; HON 101; HUM 100, 200, 275; SPA 111,112, 211, 212; THE 142	General Education Knowledge of the Humanites (GEKH) .... 6
<b>3. Natural Science</b> ..... 8 * BIO 211 Anatomy and Physiology I (4) 2* CHM 111. CHM 115, or CHM 121 (4)	General Education Knowledge of Narural Science (GEKN) .. 8 BIO 251 Human Anatomy and Physiology I (3)+1 Chemistry (100 or higher) (4)
<b>4. Social Science</b> ..... 6 * PSY 101 General Psychology (3) * Complete one: ANT 200 or SOC 101	General Education Knowledge of the Social Sci (GEKS):..... 6 PSY 101 General Psychology Lecture (3) One course: ANTH 135 or SOCL 105
<b>Owens Nursing Program Requirements (39-49 credits)</b>	
* BIO 212 Anatomy and Physiology II ..... 4	BIO 252 Human Anatomy and Physiology II (3)+1..... 4
* BIO 231 Microbiology and Immunology ..... 4	BIO 328 Microbiology for the Health Professions (5)-1 ..... 4
IST 100 Fundamentals of Computing ..... 1	University Elective ..... 1
Complete the RN or LPN Nursing requirements below: <b>RN Program:</b> (FNH 121; HIT 125; NRS 101,102, 201, 202, 203) <b>or LPN/RN Program:</b> (NRS 110, 201, 202, 203, HIT 125)	
* Students who pass the NCLEX-RN licensing exam will transfer nursing credit hours as a block.....30-40	Students must make an appointment with the EMU RN/BSN completion program coordinator to present proof of passing NCLEX examination, develop a plan of study, and receive course waivers (noted below). Nursing block credit.....30-40 30 credit hours will apply to the Nursing major additional credit hours will apply as general transfer credit Waivers will be given for NURS 260, NURS 270,& DTC 203
<b>EMU Requirements that may be completed at Owens or EMU (4-14 credits)</b>	
* PSY 260 Life Span Psychology ..... 3	EDPS 325 Life Span Hum Growth & Dev (or IHHS 260)..... 3
* Open Electives (not to exceed 94 credits at Owens)..... 1-11	University Electives ..... 1-11
<b>Credits at Owens CC: ..... 94</b>	<b>Credits that transfer to EMU ..... 94</b>

\* Required for the EMU Nursing Completion Program. These courses are pre-requisite to the professional sequence at EMU.  
<sup>2</sup>Any of these courses may be used as the prerequisite for Owens BIO 211

**Sign up with us: If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college. Sign up at: [www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php)**

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<p><b><u>Completion of the Nursing Program at EMU</u></b></p> <p><b>Pre-Admission Requirements (3 credits)</b> IHHS 200 Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies .....3</p> <p><b>Major Requirements (23 credits)</b> NURS 220 Health Assessment .....2 NURS 265 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice I.....3 NURS 372 Nursing Research .....2 <sup>1</sup> NURS 365W RN Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice II.....3 NURS 450 Community Health Nursing .....2 <sup>2</sup> NURS 451L4 Community Health Nursing Clinical.....3 NURS 465 R.N. Essentials of Prof Nursing Practice III.....3 Restricted Nursing Electives .....5 <i>Consult Nursing Completion Advisor for suggested courses</i></p> <p><b>University Electives (4 credits)</b> A minimum of 30 credits must be completed at EMU and a minimum of 124 total credits is required to graduate.</p> <p><b>Minimum Credits at EMU: ..... 30</b> <b>Maximum Transfer Credits: ..... 94</b> <b>Minimum Credits to Graduate: ..... 124</b></p> <p><b>Note:</b> If sufficient credits hours are not transferred, additional EMU credits must be completed to reach the minimum of 124 credit hours required to graduate</p> <p>The Nursing Completion Program is offered at a number of EMU regional centers and on-line. Contact the BSN Completion program coordinator for more information.</p> <p><b>In-state Tuition</b> Ohio students will be charged the same tuition rate as Michigan residents. There is a separate fee for online courses (currently \$52 per credit hour) Tuition and fees are subject to change by action of the EMU Board of Regents. Information on EMU's online offerings can be found at <a href="http://www.emuonline.edu">www.emuonline.edu</a>.</p>	<p><b>Suggested Sequence for completing the program:</b></p> <p><b>Semester 1 (9 credits)</b> IHHS 200 Reading and Writing in Nursing Studies .....3 NURS 220 Health Assessment.....2 University Elective.....4</p> <p><b>Semester 2 (6 credits)</b> NURS 265 R.N. Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice I...3 NURS Electives .....3</p> <p><b>Semester 3 (5 credits)</b> NURS 372 Nursing Research .....2 <sup>1</sup>NURS 365W R.N. Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice II.3</p> <p><b>*Semester 4 (5 credits)</b> NURS 465 R.N. Essentials of Professional Nursing Practice III..3 NURS Electives .....2</p> <p><b>*Semester 5 (5 credits)</b> NURS 450 Community Health Nursing.....2 <sup>2</sup>NURS 451L4 Community Health Nursing Clinical .....3</p> <p><b>*Semesters 4 and 5 may be switched in the sequence.</b></p> <p>Note: All coursework for this degree must be completed within six years of taking the first 200 level NURS course at EMU.</p>
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<sup>1</sup> Satisfies the Writing Intensive in the major requirement.

<sup>2</sup> Online students will need to find a preceptor for the clinical portion of NURS 451L4.

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### Additional Information:

1. In completing the coordinated program of study for this articulation agreement, course substitutions should be made with the guidance of the advisors (indicated below) at both institutions to assure that all requirements are satisfied. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Owens courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's Nursing major. These may be completed at the most convenient time for the student, whether before or after admission to EMU. See an advisor to determine what to complete for this option.
1. Although this agreement includes EMU's General Education Requirements, students whose transcripts are endorsed as "Ohio Transfer Module Satisfied" have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one "Learning beyond the Classroom" experience, and a Writing Intensive course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be satisfied at the community college.  
*To use the Ohio Transfer Module (OTM), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "OTM Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "OTM Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as listed in the Undergraduate Catalog. The OTM may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program.*
2. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to EMU.
3. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in courses offered by EMU, 15 hours of which must be in program requirements at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 124 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
4. Students should apply to both EMU and the School of Nursing RN/BSN Completion Option. The application for admission to EMU may be accessed from the EMU Office of Admissions website. Students must submit transcripts from all previously attended colleges. Students who speak English as a second language must submit a TOEFL or MELAB score that meets EMU requirements.
5. Contact Bobbi Towne (information below) for the Application for Admission to the RN/BSN Option. Students must comply with the program requirements in effect at the time of admission to the program. Current admission requirements include:
  - An EMU student identification number,
  - Submission of an application to the RN/BSN completion option,
  - Current unrestricted license to practice as a Registered Nurse,
  - Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale),
  - Minimum grade of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) in a college-level English Composition course,
  - Designation on application of first and second choices for site preference for coursework.
  - EMU School of Nursing requires background checks for all students entering any nursing program through Verified Credentials. To access the website [www.myvci.com/emu](http://www.myvci.com/emu).
  - Effective January 2015, completion of EMU's general education requirements or a transcript endorsed as "OTM Satisfied," "MTA Satisfied," or "MACRAO Satisfied" will be required for admission to the RN/BSN Completion program.
6. The RN/BSN Completion Option Coordinator will work with you to assist in exploration of degree requirements and evaluation of your application for admission. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, sign up for this articulation agreement using the link [www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php](http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/Enter.php), and bring a copy of this guide to all advising sessions.

**Effective Dates: September 1, 2015 until August 31, 2018.** This is a renewal of an agreement made in September 2011. If this agreement is not renewed at the end of the effective period, students who already started the program will be given three additional years to be admitted to EMU under the terms of this agreement. Students who enrolled at Owens prior to the effective period may use this agreement. In the case that a student does not complete the agreement within seven years of starting it, they may be required to have their requirements evaluated using a newer version of the agreement. All coursework for this degree must be completed within six years of taking the first 200 level NURS course at EMU.

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